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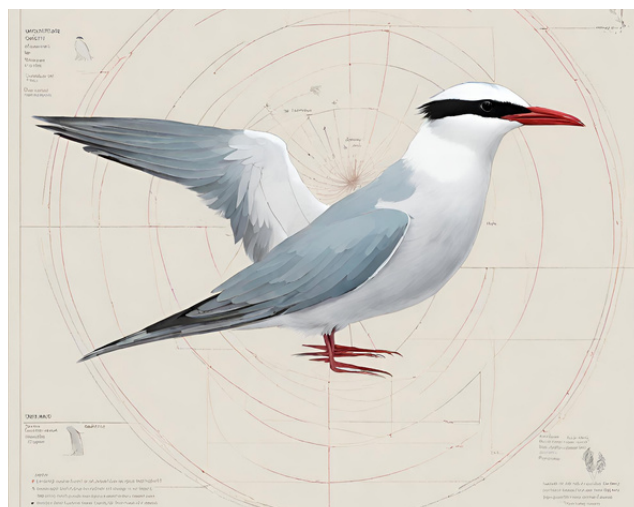
## about us

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Imagine a world where you can learn from the brightest minds on the planet while exploring the most awe-inspiring places on Earth – a world where you can fuse academic excellence with an unforgettable adventure, embarked upon with an exclusive community of passionate learners.

Introducing SternaXP, a collaboration that melds the capabilities of HCL Corp, India's foremost technology powerhouse, with the expertise of Hearth Advisors, an international boutique consultancy specialising in the field of education.

Not your run-of-the-mill adventure tourism venture, nor an exam prep startup, SternaXP is a trailblazer, offering students between the ages of 14 and 25 a unique blend of academic rigour and exploration



## what we do

Whether it's engineering, mathematics, physics, or art, SternaXP is striving to create something for everyone. Imagine designing and racing your own go-kart under the guidance of the world's most accomplished automobile engineers or grappling with data science's most complex challenges under the tutelage of Nobel Laureates. Envision exploring the mysteries of the universe with tools accessible only to the most decorated scientists. Perhaps playing football at the sport's most hallowed grounds while being coached by the experts who train the elites. Or creating your own masterpiece with the patronage of a renowned artist. These are just some of the possibilities that await you at SternaXP.



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# programmes

**Intensive Clinics Abroad:** Embark on short trips to exceptional locations, institutes, and facilities abroad, enhanced with academic pre-learning, expert guidance, masterclasses, and hands-on experimentation.

**Sterna Clinics in India:** Immerse yourself in exclusive, short masterclasses conducted by experts from our premium partners, taking place in culturally significant locations across India.

**Guided Challenges:** Take on distinctive micro-open challenges, distinguished by extensive guidance and learning materials, preparing you to actively participate and excel in the challenge.

**Build-it-Yourself programmes:** Join extended programmes with premium partners, featuring comprehensive guidance, masterclasses, and learning materials. Engage in hands-on projects, where you'll create products and productions under the guidance of industry leaders at the top of their field.



# outcomes

**World-Class Experiences:** Our top-tier partners, the crème de la crème in their respective fields, provide students with an unparalleled glimpse into their dream professions through carefully curated programmes.

**Research-Based Learning:** Developed by decorated academics and seasoned professionals, our research-based programmes ensure holistic learning.

**Diverse programmes:** At Sterna, we do not settle for generic programmes that fail to capture the diversity and complexity of our students. Our programmes put students first and are customised to the modern student's specific passions and challenges.

**Enriching Expeditions:** Our students will get the opportunity to delve into exclusive, culturally and environmentally vibrant locales, guided by seasoned experts intimately acquainted with these destinations.

**Elevated University Prospects:** Through our programmes, students gain superior university prospects, thanks to the uniquely rigorous nature of our programmes.

**Premium Certification:** Our students receive exclusive certifications endorsed by prestigious partners—renowned universities and industry leaders known for their expertise.

# our leadership



**Shikhar Malhotra**, Co-Founder and Chairman of SternaXP, is a multifaceted leader. As Director and Board Member at HCL Corporation, CEO of HCL Healthcare, and head of prestigious educational institutions, his influence is far-reaching. A committed philanthropist, Shikhar co-founded The Habitats Trust and supports the Shiv Nadar Foundation. Guiding SternaXP, he redefines experiential learning with a focus on innovation and excellence.



**Shashank Vira**, SternaXP's CEO, brings with him three decades of diverse experience in entrepreneurship and education. With an international leadership background, expertise in private equity, and notable contributions to education financing, Shashank is a seasoned professional. His academic focus spans curriculum development at high school and university levels in both India and the UK. Holding an M.Phil. from the University of Cambridge, Shashank is an academic and innovator, positioning SternaXP as a formidable force in education.



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